

# Video Project

## **Description:**

In a group of 4-6 students, you will write and film your own version of a fairy tale. You can produce a film that stays true to the original story, or you can create your own modern version or fractured fairy tale version of the original story.

## **Requirements:**

The final version of your film should be about 5 minutes long. The final version should be in MP4, M4V, MOV or WMV format. Every member of the group should play a speaking role in the film. You may have members of the group play more than one role if needed.

## **Production Advice:**

You should thoroughly plan each scene in your film before you write your screenplay. Your film should have around ten scenes. After you have written your screenplay, you will need to get the screenplay approved by your teacher before you start filming. When you are ready to begin filming, remember that you will be able to produce a better final product if shoot your footage in longer segments rather than in many short two-or-three second clips. Always remember that your highest priority in this process is German language production. You want to have the best cinematography and production values possible, but your highest priority is always German language production.

## **Deutscher Tag:**

You will have the opportunity to share your film with other students at the *Deutscher Tag* on October 9<sup>th</sup>. Produce a high quality product that you and your group will be proud to share. Bring your video to the *Deutscher Tag* on a USB drive. You can also look forward to seeing the projects completed by students at other schools.